

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Patent of:

Osamu TATEWAKI et al.

Patent No.: 7,240,763

Application No.: 10/767,611

Issued: July 10, 2007

Filed: January 30, 2004

For: ELECTRIC POWER STEETING APPARATUS

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**REQUEST FOR EXPEDITED ISSUANCE OF CERTIFICATE OF  
CORRECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.322**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.322 and 35 U.S.C. §254, the Patentee respectfully requests expedited issuance of a Certificate of Correction in accordance with the attached Form PTO/SB/44. In particular, in the listing of inventors, Osamu SAITO should be deleted in accordance with the Statement Requesting Deletion of Inventor Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d)(2) filed on January 30, 2004.

To facilitate expedited processing of this Request, attached is a copy of the aforementioned Statement and a copy of the Image File Wrapper document listing from PAIR, showing entry of the Statement in the official record.

Since the error to be corrected was made by the Patent Office, no fee is believed to be due in connection with this Request. However, please charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayments to our Deposit Account No. 50-1165.

Respectfully submitted,

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the title page, in item (75) Inventors, delete the following inventor:

**Osamu Saito, Gunma-ken (JP)**

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STATEMENT REQUESTING DELETION OF  
INVENTOR UNDER 37 C.F.R § 1.63(d)(2)

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Sir:

The subject divisional application includes a copy of the Declaration of the inventors in prior Application No. 10/178,707 filed June 25, 2002.

It is respectfully requested that, for purposes of the subject divisional application, the following inventors be deleted:

Osamu SAITO

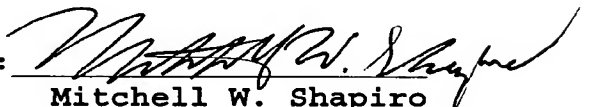
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1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment to that Account. If any extension of time is required in connection with the filing of this paper and has not been requested separately, such extension is hereby requested.

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